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To Whom it may concern,

My name is Jonathan Schmidt and I wanted to voice my opinion of how important Rick Turner's meat processing business is to me and my family. We own and operate a cattle operation in Southern Maryland and supply a healthy and affordable alternative for people looking for local sources of sustainably grown meat. I personally have been a customer of Rick Turners for over 4 years and have observed his business to be the cleanest and most professionally run meat processing in all of Southern Maryland hands down. He and his family are honest and good people and it would be a shame to put them out of business as they are a vitally important component to our business and many others that I know of. Furthermore it is my understanding that the main complaint that has been made pertains to the road and amount of traffic going in and out. I can't see how this is a valid concern since I have never observed more than one other customer visiting Rick's business while I have been there. I have made easily 50 visits to Rick Turners over the past 4 years and typically am the only person present while he is open.

Thank you for your time,

JD Schmidt  
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